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# Land Grant Application- Mitchell, Joshua (Bath)

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William Woot, Esq.

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August 1835

Johna. Mitchell of the  
"It's Best" was a "div"  
man for Georgetown.  
See, p. 20. of "Inquiry".

Also Nov. 9, 1835.

James Mitchell  
571  
unusually Johna. Mitchell

State of Maine.  
County of Lincoln.

on the first day of October in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred & thirty five. Personally appeared Jamesin Mitchell before me the subscriber, Judge of Probate for said County of Lincoln, who being duly sworn, according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions of a Resolve of the Legislature of the State of Maine, Approved March 17<sup>th</sup> 1835. entitled a resolve in favor of certain officers & Soldiers of the Revolutionary War -

That said Jamesin Mitchell says that the said Joshua Mitchell, or as he was sometimes called Joshua Michaels, was a soldier of the Revolutionary War, that he enlisted at Bath in the State of Maine, of which place he was a native, as early as the year 1776 or 1777 - he was enlisted for three years or during the war, under Colo. Dummer Sewall who was muster Master for Lincoln County. that he marched from Bath, and served five years in the American army, and that his said husband never received a grant of land or money from the Government, that she is ignorant of the Regiment or Colonel, where he served, that for some years before his death he was a pensioner under the act of 1815 - that he died in the month of November A.D. 1826 - and was an inhabitant of the town of Bath when he died and that she is his widow - being married to him in the year 1788

that his pension certificate was surrendered after his death, - that all the papers relative to his service with the evidence are on file at Washington - that owing to her age and want of Memory she cannot distinctly state any further Particulars relative to the Colonel or Regiment in which he served. as he was enlisted by Col. Dummer Sewall who sent him on to join the Massachusetts line - she therefore asks for the allowance for land provided for widows by said Resolue. and further prays the agent to take such measures relative to the evidence necessary to prove her case as he may think fit.

Jamesin Mitchell

Lincolnp. Probate Office Wisconsin October 16. 1835 -  
Personally appeared Jamesin Mitchell above named  
and subscribed the foregoing declaration and made  
oath that the same and Every part was true  
according to the best of her knowledge & belief  
before me / C. Nathan Groton  
Judge of Probate.

Lincolnp. Probate office. Wisconsin October 16. 1835  
I hereby certify that satisfactory evidence has  
been adduced to me, that Jamesin Mitchell who has  
subscribed & sworn to the above declaration was the lawful  
wife of Joshua Mitchell above named, who is now deceased  
and that she survives, as his widow  
C. Nathan Groton Judge of Probate  
for the County of Lincoln